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SEARCH DEVICE AND INFORMATION PROVIDING SYSTEM

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application, including:

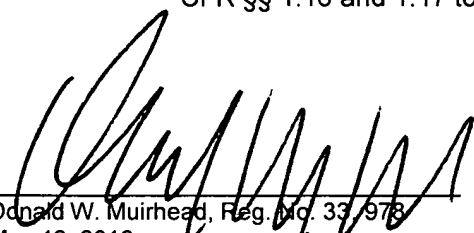
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TOTAL CLAIMS	23	Minus	26	0	x \$ 52	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	Minus	7	0	x \$220	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED					\$390	\$
					TOTAL	\$
If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.				SMALL ENTITY TOTAL		\$

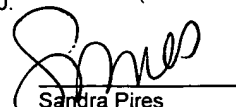
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